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SUBJECT:

1418210002 - Ogle County Scott Twp./Earnest Doke

Robert Munger and I took three samples from three drums located on Earnest Doke's property in Ogle County. His property is located 3 miles west of Rt 251 and 3/4 miles south of Rt. 72 on Big Mound Road.

The drums appeared quite old and rusty. They were piled on top of one another, making sampling rather treacherous. The first sample taken was of a volatile liquid material which appeared to be paint thinner (Drum #1). A soil sample was taken of this material because the drum couldn't be opened and a hole in the drum leaked some of the material out when it was moved.

The second sample looked like dirt mixed with paint chips (Drum #2). The drum had "King Seeley Thermos" marked on the drum. King Seeley Thermos has a plant in Freeport, IL.. The third sample taken was a reddish-brown material that looked like paint (Drum #3).

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